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Democrats Instruct Hitchcock to Aid Bringing Up Treaty

Hitchcock Received Letter From Wilson 15 Days Ago on Reservations that he Will Make Public

By L. C. MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Feb. 7—Democratic senators in a conference today instructed Hitchcock to aid in every way possible the bringing up of the treaty in the senate for reconsideration on Monday. The decision of the conference was unanimous, Hitchcock said. Hitchcock will decide later today whether to make public a letter he received from President Wilson ten days ago concerning reservations, and which he read today to the conference.

Kimball's Widow Has Rare Art Collection

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 7—Rare works of art, ranking with the most famous of American collections in private homes, were found by authorities here today in the home of Evalina M. Kimball, widow of the founder of the Kimball Piano Company.

Mrs. Kimball was recently declared feeble minded and an inventory of her estate was ordered by the probate court upon petition of her brother. Court officials found art treasures valued at more than a million dollars in Mrs. Kimball's unpretentious home here. Precious paintings lined the walls and priceless antique furniture was scattered throughout the rooms. Also collection of jades and porcelains described by art critics as the "most wonderful in America." Among these represented are Rembrandts' portrait of "Artist's Father" valued at \$100,000 and Joshua Reynolds, "Lady Sarah Bunbury" declared to be worth \$65,000. The value of the entire estate was placed at \$2,800,000.

Villa Forces Loot Stores and Homes

(By United Press)

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 7—Villistas forces looted stores and homes in the towns of Gomez and Lerdo in Durango state last Wednesday, according to a report reaching here today. Later they went to San Fernando and seized the manager of a plantation there, J. Eskew, an American citizen, and are holding him for \$20,000 ransom, the report stated. The rebels were said to have released all prisoners in the jail at the first two places. These were the first indications that the Villistas were operating in Mexico's richest cotton district.

British Premier's Soldier Son Who Finds Steel Is More Interesting Than Politics



Iron, steel, engineering and sheep ranching, not politics, interest Major Richard Lloyd George, who has come to the United States on a business trip. He is accompanied by his wife, daughter of Sir Robert McAlpine, an engineering contractor. They were married in 1917, while Major Lloyd George was serving with a Welsh regiment. They will be in this country three weeks.

JAMES COUZENS



Mayor James Couzens of Detroit, Mich., reputed to be America's richest city administrator, who has given \$2,000,000 to local institutions.

RAILROAD MEN VOTE TO STRIKE IF WAGE DEMAND IS NOT MET

Seventeen Days' Grace is Allowed the Railroad Administration to Meet the Demands

(By United Press)

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 7—Seventeen days' grace was given today by the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Ways and Railroad Shop Workers to the railroad administration in which the workers' demands for an increase in wages may be met.

If the increase is not forthcoming at the end of that period, its answer at a meeting here of the national committee of the organization to the men, will be instructions to drop their tools.

Without a dissenting vote the national committee late yesterday voted to authorize the proposed strike to cover all railroads in the country.

Messenger Missing With \$38,00 Worth of Liberty Bonds

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 7—George Franz messenger for the Harris Trust & Savings bank, was missing today along with \$38,000 worth of liberty bonds.

Franz was given that amount of bonds in small denominations to exchange for larger bonds. The exchange was made and the messenger dropped from sight. A bride of four weeks is aiding authorities in the search for the missing man.

GERMANY WILL RESIST TO THE UTTERMOST ALLIED DEMAND FOR WAR GUILTY

German Finance Minister Says Nation is of One Mind to Resist Demand at Any Cost

Epidemic of Strikes Expected After March 1st

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When the Railroads Will be Turned Back to the Private Owners

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 7—An epidemic of railroad strikes may break out immediately after the roads are returned to private control March 1 unless different agreements are speedily reached by the railroad administration and union representatives on the question of increased wages. This was evident today as some of the union spokesmen began to manifest in new talks in discussing their conference with Hines here. All strike talk has been kept in the background and the negotiators have expressed themselves as satisfied with the progress being made. It is believed there is no likelihood of a great general strike before or after the roads go back to private owners. The union leaders confessed they are having difficulty restraining men. If no settlement is reached a number of trades are expected to walk out.

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Roomers Driven Out at 3 A. M. By Fire

(By United Press)

Minneapolis, Feb. 7—Thirty families and dozens of roomers were driven to the street today when fire broke out at 3 A. M. at the Cooperative Machine & Tool Co. plant. The loss was estimated at \$25,000 worth of machinery and equipment and \$10,000 to the building. Roomers occupying two rooming houses and apartments were ordered to the street by firemen half an hour after the fire broke out.

Mexican Government Forces Defeat Rebels

(By United Press)

Mexico City, Feb. 7—Government forces under General Quadruple Sanchez have defeated revolutionaries of the Felix Diaz faction in two battles at Nautila and Jicaltepec, the government claimed today. Two hundred rebels were killed, the government's statement said, including two generals. The government losses in the battle were few, it was claimed. President Carranza, it was announced, has promoted all federal officials in the engagement.

British Urge Modification in Demands

By HENRY WOOD
(United Press Correspondent)

Paris, Feb. 7—British legal authorities appeared before a meeting of the council of ambassadors last night urging modification of the severity of the allied demand for German war guilty, it was understood today. The French Press was "greatly astounded" by the change in the British attitude.

Embezzling Bookkeeper Returns to Chicago

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 7—"Monda Ross" Schweiger returned from Winnipeg today to explain what she knows about the disappearance of more than \$50,000 of her employer's money. Ross said she likes music and that's why she turned to it. She refused to discuss the money shortage, but glibly told of plans to reestablish herself in Chicago's society.

No Trace Found of Koochiching Sheriff

(United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 7—No trace has been found of the whereabouts of Sheriff McIntosh, of Koochiching county. Major W. Garis is in command of the state troops at International Falls, reported that the disappearance of McIntosh was a complete mystery. There are rumors of foul play, but it is not believed in military circles.

Will Only Consent to Trial by German Court at Leipzig---Will Not Consent to Trial by Neutral Court

By CARL D. GROAT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Berlin, Feb. 7—Germany will resist to the uttermost the allied demand for surrender of Teuton war guilty, according to a statement of the prominent leaders today.

"The whole government thinks and acts as I do," Mathias Erzberger, Minister of Finance, told the United Press. "We are in complete agreement with the minds of all of the people" he added.

Field Marshal Hindenburg and General Ludendorff, whose names are prominent in the list of accused, both declared in a statement that no official shall surrender himself voluntarily upon delivery of the demand.

It was denied officially that Germany will propose to the allies that the war guilty be tried before a neutral court.

Germany's only proposal will be that the accused be tried before a Teuton court at Leipzig, with the allied powers represented.

Allies Will Insist

By HENRY WOOD
(Written for the United Press)

Paris, Feb. 7—The allies do not have any intention of modifying Article 228 of the peace treaty, it was announced today following a meeting of the council of ambassadors. The allied governments, according to the announcement, regard as imperative that Germany recognize her obligation to carry out the terms of the treaty.

Article 228 is the clause specifying that Germany "recognize the right of the allied powers to bring before a military tribunal persons accused of having committed an act in violation of the law and custom of war."

The council of ambassadors today announced that the allied governments had decided unanimously that the list of German war guilty will be handed to the German government officially at the earliest possible moment. The list will be presented to the German chancellor by French diplomatic agents in Berlin. It will be presented at the same time as the allied covering note.

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Flu Figures In The State

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 7—There has been 13,720 cases of influenza in Minnesota since the first of the year, according to a report issued by the state board of health. Deaths total 293 cases. Reports in the last 24 hours show 561 new cases with seven deaths. Hibbing is reported to have the greatest number of cases.

Thieves Shoot Watchman

Chicago, Feb. 7—Thomas O'Donnell, 65, a watchman was killed in a fight with five bandits here today. O'Donnell discovered the gang attempting to open the safe of the Western Clutch company. One of the robbers shot him before he could draw his revolver. The thieves escaped.

Secretary Lane Resigns Position

Effective March 1st, Gives as Reason That He Cannot Live in Washington on Salary

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 7—Secretary of the Interior Lane has forwarded his resignation to President Wilson and it has been accepted, it was announced at Lane's office today. Secretary Lane visited the White House early today and it is understood he carried his resignation with him at the time. It becomes effective March 1. Lane gave his reason that he could not live in Washington on \$12,000 a year.

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Paris, Feb. 7—The effort of the defense in the trial here today of Senator Newberry and 134 aids on election frauds, were centered on breaking down testimony of Chas. Potts, member of the federal grand jury, which returned the indictment.

Attorney George Nichols of the defense, put Potts to a number of severe memory tests to prove that witnesses were incompetent to testify. Potts could not remember all the testimony presented before the federal grand jury by three hundred witnesses. Potts testified yesterday that Harris swore before the grand jury that he had received \$800 salary and \$400 expenses for acting as field agent.

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Democrat Senators Meet to Consider Treaty Stand

BY L. C. MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Feb. 7—Democrat senators met today at the call of Senator Hitchcock to discuss its program in the treaty discussion which is to begin Monday in the senate.

There was little likelihood that the program would be agreed upon that would prove acceptable to all the minority. The chief result of the meeting is likely to be that Hitchcock will get a clear idea how the various senators stand for his guidance.

Newspaper Man Indicted for Bribery

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 7—James Connolly, former St. Paul and Minneapolis newspaper man, was indicted on a charge of attempted bribery by the Ramsey county grand jury. Connolly is accused of offering bribes totaling \$100 to W. G. Watson, a special investigator, for the state secret service commission and other investigations. Mr. Watson made the complaint. The offer was made in asking that he promise that Connolly's stock sales would not be investigated.

Poland Will Consult Allies on Peace Proposal

(By United Press)

Paris, Feb. 7—Poland will consult the council of ambassadors replying to the peace offer of the Russian government and will follow the policy suggested by the allies, it was learned authoritatively today.

MALCOLM KERLIN



Italian Premier Appealed to Sec. Lansing

To Support Italy's Aspirations in the Adriatic—Said Flume Question Caused Italian Unrest

By CAMILLA CIANFERRA
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Rome, Feb. 7—Deputy Cesaro created a sensation in the chamber of deputies today when he read a letter represented to be from Premier Nitti to Secretary Lansing in which Nitti urged America's support for Italian aspirations in the Adriatic.

Cesaro criticized the premier severely, charging him with submission to the United States. Premier Nitti, according to the letter, told Lansing the Flume situation was creating general unrest throughout Italy. He said the internal condition resulted from rejection of Italy's claims to take as granted that the event would be detrimental even to Great Britain and France. After Cesaro's attack Nitti admitted he had written to Lansing and asked Cesaro how the letter came into his possession. Many deputies questioned the genuineness of the document.

NEW YORK PREPARING TO RESUME BUSINESS

After a Snow Storm in Which Fourteen Inches of Snow Fell, and High Winds Caused Tidal Waves

(By United Press)

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 7—A three-day voluntary embargo on unessential traffic began today at the request of Mayor Hylan so that thousands of men and motor trucks may be relieved to aid in the gigantic task of clearing away snow which has paralyzed travel and business here since Wednesday. The high winds that packed snow into mountain drifts and caused the tidal waves along the shore, has subsided and with forecasts that the snow fall would cease sometime today, railroad lines doubled their efforts to clear the tracks and resume service. Street and taxi lines were still completely paralyzed and the outlying elevated railroads were out of business. Fourteen inches of snow has fallen since Wednesday.

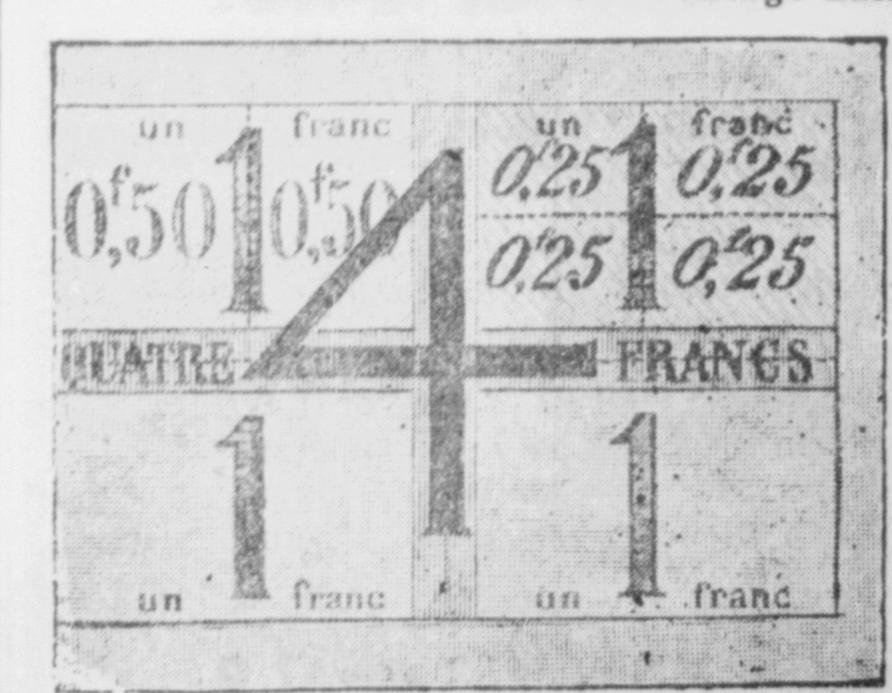
Five persons have been killed in accidents resulting from the storm. The property damage will run into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Steamship Aground, Sinking Condition

(By United Press)

Otter Cliffs, Maine, Feb. 7—"I can't talk, I lost my speech when I did that thing," were the words that Robert Henry Costello wrote on a piece of paper in police court here today. Costello was charged with slaying his wife, age 28. The alleged slayer on the way was making strange noises. When he got inside he asked for a piece of paper and that was the strange message he wrote which police interpreted as a confession of killing his wife.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:

Minnesota—Unsettled tonight and Sunday, probably with snow Sunday and in the northwest portion to-night, colder Sunday in the northwest portion.

Co-operative observer's record, 6 P. M.—

Feb. 5—Maximum 30, minimum 19. Reading in evening, 26. Southeast wind. Cloudy.

Feb. 6—Maximum 30, minimum 26. Reading in evening, 26. Southwest wind. Cloudy.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For spring water phone 264. If Crystal spring water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13.

Rupert Johnson, formerly at the Brainerd Billiard parlor shop, is now employed at the Ransford billiard parlor barber shop.

For sale young fresh cow. Jens Jensen, R. 2. Tel. 20112.

Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Anderson of Fort Ripley are the parents of a bouncing baby boy born Friday. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Miss Mayo.

Pretty Valentines at H. P. Dunn, druggist.

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TURCOTTE BROS.

Funeral services over the remains of Neil Griffin, age 39, of Deerwood, were held at the Catholic church, Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney officiating. He leaves a wife and one child. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

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Ralph Eugene Dahlson, one year baby son of David R. Dahlson, died of pneumonia, and the funeral will be private and held Monday, Rev. Elof G. Carlson officiating. The family has had misfortune and Undertaker B. C. McNamara donated the coffin and Undertaker D. E. Whitney services.

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Mrs. Theresa Boardman, age 28, wife of Henry Boardman, passed away at her home, Flat 1, in the Pearce block, of pneumonia. She

J. E. BRADY, 711 Laurel St.

YOUNG BOPPEL DECLARED WINNER

St. Cloud, Minn., Feb. 7—Young Boppel of Brainerd, was declared winner on points in his six round exhibition with Jackie Ross before the Elks club in St. Cloud Friday evening.

\$50,000 Stock of Woolens Destroyed

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 7—\$50,000 worth of woolens were destroyed here when fire broke out in the National Woolen Mill Co. here early today.

Passengers Rescued from Stranded Steamer

(By United Press)

New York, Feb. 7—Passengers of the stranded Old Dominion line steamer Princess Anne, were being transferred to the coast guard cutter Manhattan today.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Brainerd for the week ending Feb. 6, 1920. When calling please say "Advertised."

Curtiss, Charlie
Campbell, Sam
Fainan, Mr. C.
Herman, Jack
Hanson, Christ
Johnson, Lawrence (2)
Kissel, Mrs.
Meler, James T.
Norman, John
Stebbens, Mrs. Howard
Strause, Henry
Peterson, Geo.
Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert

H. P. DUNN, P. M.

Reliable Information.

An American tourist recently visited the ancient city of Chester, and was startled by the loud clanging of the fire alarm bell.

Seeing others run, he ran, too, and presently found himself one of a crowd gathered to witness the departure of the fire engines. In a short time the engines dashed out of the yard and disappeared down the street in a whirl of dust and smoke.

With a view to gathering information, the tourist addressed himself to a man in the crowd:

"Say, mister, I suppose in an old place like this containing so many timber-fronted houses, you often have a fire?"

"Pretty often," assented the man.

"How often, now, does a fire occur?" asked the American.

"Every time that bell rings," replied the man, nodding towards the bell-tower.—London Tit-Bits.

Mechanical Stoking Patent.

The first patent for mechanical stoking was taken out in 1753, the invention of James Watt.



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EXPLAINING "JACK" IN FLAG

Origin of Emblem of the British Empire Goes Back to the Days of Plate Armor.

"The Star-Spangled Banner" explains itself; like the "Tricolor" of France. But who put the Jack in Union Jack? This curious term, which is the only name by which we know the British flag, has been the subject of much surmise; but so unique is its history that you would never guess it in a thousand years!

In ancient times every English soldier in the field wore the protecting "Jacque" or surcoat (over all), which was a garment of padded leather interspersed with pieces of plate armor, upon the breast the crimson cross of St. George. When the soldiers had occasion to board a ship their jacques were placed next each other along the bulwarks of the ship in the same way that the Romans arranged their shields on board their galleys.

The jacques so afforded the men protection against the arrows of their adversaries on the water, and by their device upon the outer side proclaimed the nationality of the ship. Excepting the king's own ship, which flew the royal arms on a silken sail, the jacques bore the only indication of the nationality of a vessel.

In the course of time, when the jacques were no longer needed along the bulwarks, a solitary jacque was probably displayed at the bowsprit, and so the name "Jack" came into use for the flag that superseded it.

In 1801 the three kingdoms of England, Ireland and Scotland were formally united and the British flag made a combination of the cross of St. George for England, of St. Andrew for Scotland and of St. Patrick for Ireland. It was this union which made the British flag the "Union Jack."

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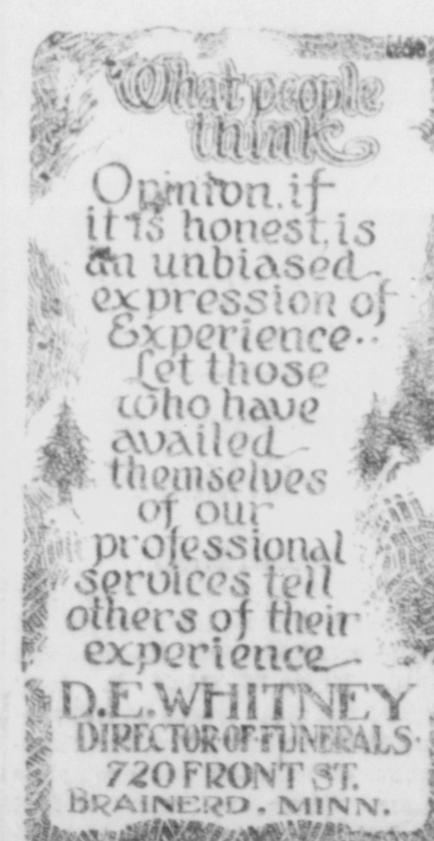
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Zion Evangelical Church

(Fourth Ave. and Forsyth St.)

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m.

Y. P. A. 6:45 p. m.

Evening services 7:30 p. m. All invited. Fred M. Ohms, pastor.

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Bethlehem Lutheran

(South Eth. St.)

Sunday school 10 o'clock. Norwegian services at 11 o'clock. English services in the evening at 7:54. The choir will furnish the music.

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Bethlehem Evangelical Church

(Corner Main and Bluff Avenue)

10:30 a. m. services. 11:30 a. m. Sunday school.

The Y. P. A. will not meet Tuesday, Feb. 10th but the meeting will be held on Friday, the 13th at the church parlors. T. H. Bunge.

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Peoples Congregational Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Preaching service at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor society at 6:45 p. m., led by Margaret Johnson.

Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Be sure and come to all the services and bring others with you. Rev. C. N. Sennett, pastor.

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Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church

A prominent Lutheran missionary, Rev. Eugent Rateaver, a native of Madagascar, will speak both at the morning and evening services on the missionary work among his native people.

Morning service at 10:30. Rev. Rateaver will give a missionary address in Norwegian. Offering to missions.

Sunday school at 12 o'clock at

which Rev. Rateaver will speak to the children on missions.

Evening service at 7:45, at which Rev. Rateaver will speak on Foreign Mission in English. Special music at morning and evening service. E. R. Rorem, pastor.

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Swedish Bethany Church

Service at 10:30 next Sunday.

Sunday school at 12 noon.

No meeting in the evening.

Prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:45. Place to be announced from pulpit.

Thursday evening Dorcas society will give a Lincoln social with a good program.

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Christian Science Services

Iron Exchange Building, Iron Exchange hall.

Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject "Spirit."

Sunday school 10 a. m.

Wednesday meeting 8 p. m.

Reading room, Walverman Block, Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 p. m.

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St. Paul's Episcopal Church

Morning prayer and sermon 10:30 a. m.

Sunday school and confirmation instruction 11:45 a. m.

Evensong and sermon 4:30 p. m.

The St. Paul's guild will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon at the rectory. Mrs. Woelfert and Mrs. Wolner entertaining.

† † †

First Baptist Church

Bible school at 9:45 a. m. in charge of Geo. A. Beale, supt.

At 11 o'clock morning service and Divine worship. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Arthur C. Smith on the subject "The Future Church."

Music by the choir.

At 7:45 evening service and sermon. Pastors subject "The Three Crosses."

You are invited to each and every service. The choir and orchestra will render selections. Acordial welcome to all.

The B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m. led

new Adventures in Faith".

The scripture lesson will be portions of Hebrews 11. The evening subject will be "Redeeming the Time".

Mrs. H. A. Smith will sing at both these services.

The Bible school meets at 12 M

in seven departments, following the graded lessons. The Epworth League will meet at 7 p. m. with the third evening on China. Miss Dora Froehel is leader. The public is cordially invited to all these services. E. A. Cooke, minister.

Hymn.

Scripture and prayer.

Selection by the ladies quartet.

"On Jordon's Stormy Banks" by the choir.

"Come Unto Me" Soprano solo with flute obligato and male quartet accompaniment.

"Wonderful are Thy Works" by the choir.

Flute solo by Axel J. Anderson.

Vocal solo by Rev. P. A. Peterson.

Selection by the ladies quartet.

Short sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Song of Moses and the Lamb."

"Like as a Father Pitteth His Children," by the choir.

"Pilgrims pa vag till Zion" By the male quartet.

Announcements and offering. This offering will be for the hymn book fund.

"The Harvest Time is Passing By." By the choir.

Hymn.

Benediction.

† † †

First Methodist Church

Public worship will be held at

10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The subject of the morning service will be

the Harvest Time is Passing By.

By the choir.

Hymn.

Benediction.

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Society Woman Just Before the Start of Red Bug Race They Won at Palm Beach

by Fritz E. Olson. All young people and their friends are invited.

First Congregational Church
Morning worship 10:30. Subject: "A Young Man's Recovery."

The third of a series of sermons on the prodigal son. Let us see the people of our church at this service. Come along to take the place of someone who can not come.

Sunday school 11:45. Classes for all ages.

Evening service 7:30. Subject to be announced Sunday morning.

Week evening service at 7:30 on Thursday evening. Place of service will be announced Sunday.

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Salvation Army

Adj't Mrs. J. Geo. Barry of Milwaukee, Wis., are the speakers for tonight and at 11 a. m. Sunday morning. They will assist with the evening service at 7:30 p. m. Miss McLaughlin is also with us and will do speaking Sunday night. Services for the day as follows:

Holiness meeting 11 a. m.
Company meeting 3 p. m.
Y. P. T meeting 6:30 p. m.
Salvation meeting 7:30 p. m.

Captain and Mrs. Knapp in command.

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Presbyterian Church

Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be "A Heavenly Walk." There will be special music.

Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be "With or Against Christ." Special music.

Harry W. Jones, architect, will meet with the congregation. Sunday school at noon; primary department at 9:30; Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Ryland Erickson leader. Meeting of the building committee at 3 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended.—W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

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Swedish Baptist Church

Morning worship 10:30. Subject: "Taking Offense at Jesus."

Sunday school at 12 noon. Special singing by the Philathea class.

Evening worship 7:30. English. This will be a special song service with the following program:

Hymn.

Scripture and prayer.

Selection by the ladies quartet.

"On Jordon's Stormy Banks" by the choir.

"Come Unto Me" Soprano solo with flute obligato and male quartet accompaniment.

"Wonderful are Thy Works" by the choir.

Flute solo by Axel J. Anderson.

Vocal solo by Rev. P. A. Peterson.

Selection by the ladies quartet.

Short sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Song of Moses and the Lamb."

"Like as a Father Pitteth His Children," by the choir.

"Pilgrims pa vag till Zion" By the male quartet.

Announcements and offering. This offering will be for the hymn book fund.

"The Harvest Time is Passing By." By the choir.

Hymn.

Benediction.

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Lyngblomsten

Mrs. John Johnson of 714 South Sixth street on Friday afternoon entertained the Lyngblomsten. Lunch was served. Music and conversation contributed to an enjoyable afternoon.

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Baboons Prefer Cooked Food.

It is somewhat remarkable that, although a baboon in captivity will not eat raw meat unless extremely hungry, it will eat with avidity meat which has been cooked. Since the large extension of sheep farming and the consequent restriction of their natural food supplies, baboons in some parts have developed the habit of raiding docks in the lambing season and tearing open the stomachs of the lambs for the sake of the milk which these contain. This practice has led to the virtual extermination of baboons over large areas. However, in justice to the raiders it should be noted that it is only when food is very scarce indeed that this criminal practice is indulged in.—Atlantic Monthly.

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Art Criticism.

One day a German subaltern who had been ordered to find billets presented himself at my house, writes a Belgian woman in the World's Work. I showed him among others the room occupied for more than two years by the American delegates of the relief commission, in which a reproduction of an ancient work of art—a bust without arms—stood on the mantelpiece. The subaltern thought the bust appeared to be comfortable, but seeking to make himself disagreeable, he raised his eyebrows, after looking at the reproduction, and said in a rude voice:

"Why, madam, did you cut the arms off this bust in a room destined to be occupied by a German officer?"

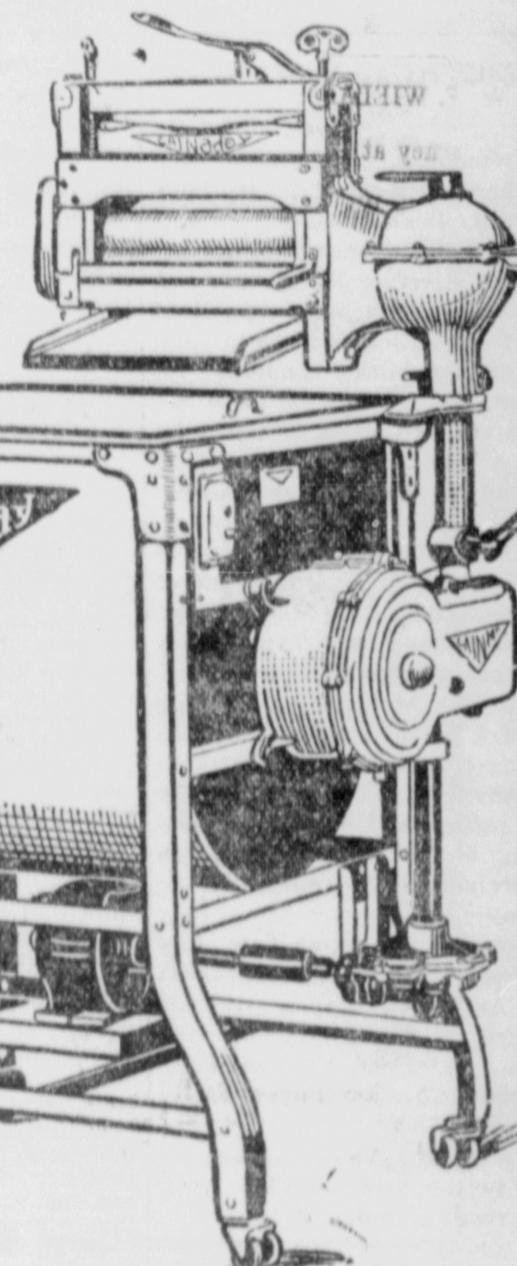
Words failed me. What could I say? He left the house with an offended air. But the incident had no sequel, which was most extraordinary.

Lived Long in Seclusion.

Forty years in the District of Columbia without having set foot on the streets! Such was the record of several of the sisters of the Visitation convent, formerly located at Connecticut avenue and L street Northwest. I am told on authority. For forty years these sisters lived in the school, taking their exercise in the spacious grounds back of the building, surrounded by a high wall. As you go past the building now you see it almost razed to the ground by wreckers, the building and site having been sold recently for a big price. So the good sisters at last came forth from their cells and trod again the streets of the national capital for the first time in forty years.—Washington Star.

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THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

QUARANTINE TO BE ENFORCED

Homes Having So-called Influenza are to be Placarded by the Police Department

DANCING IS NOT ALLOWED

Cases of Suspected Influenza to be Placarded as a "Warning"—Meeting Held

Dr. H. A. Burns of the State Board of Health, on Friday evening met with Mayor F. E. Little, Dr. E. F. Jamieson new health officer, F. H. Simpson of the local board of health; D. H. Fullerton, city attorney, and Miss Ethel Beyer, city and school nurse. Charles Varner, chief of police and also member of the health board, was not present.

Dr. Burns reported on his investigations in Brainerd and claimed that since January 20 there had been 11 deaths due to pneumonia, and that at present there were 30 to 35 cases of pneumonia in the city.

Quarantine Invoked

Dr. Burns said influenza cases should be quarantined and the placard recently printed should be attached to the house, to remain during the sickness of the inmate and until five days after the disappearance of the fever.

The breadwinner in such home, however, if not sick, shall be allowed to attend to his work.

Placards are to be put up by the police department, said Dr. Burns, who at the same time are to instruct the family on the necessity of observing the quarantine.

Suspect Cases

Cases of severe colds, etc., suspected of developing into influenza, are to have homes placarded with a warning. If nothing serious develops the sign is to be removed. The breadwinner in such home, if not sick, shall be allowed to attend to his work.

Doctors' Reports

Doctors of the city, continued Dr. Burns, are to report twice daily to the health officer, Dr. Jamieson, by telephone. One report is to be made before 4 o'clock in the afternoon and the other before 9 o'clock in the morning. The health officer is then to tabulate his returns and wire to the state health board between 4 and 4:30 o'clock each day.

Dancing

Dances are to cease until further orders.

Theatres

Movies continue open. They can be made an instrument of education, said Dr. Burns, and patrons can be instructed not to come with coughs or colds. It was felt not necessary to close the movies or theatre.

Billiard Parlors

Regarding billiard parlors and their operation. Games can be played as usual, but the parlor should not be made a place of social gathering.

Visiting Nurse

If the visiting nurse has a suspect and feels a diagnosis must be made, the health officer shall be called.

Quarantine Advantage

The advantage of a quarantine is that it permits general business to be carried on normally.

SEIZED FISH

Shipment of 540 Pounds of Pickerel in Victoria Box Before No Fish Tag

At Little Falls Deputy Game Warden A. P. Cardle seized 540 pounds of fish, unmarked, which were encased in a Victoria box. They were pickerel which had been shipped by R. C. Tedford, former county commissioner of Morrison county from Tamarack, to his address at Little Falls. His freight bill showed a box of fish, but his shipment unfortunately was not tagged "fish."

INCOME TAX DRIVE

St. Cloud is Headquarters of the Sixth District—Divided in Five Zones

St. Cloud has been made one of the five district revenue offices of the state. It is at the head of the sixth district and this division is composed of five zones.

Of these five zones the following cities are the headquarters: Wilmar, Geo. A. Anderson, deputy; Fergus Falls, E. J. Masterson, deputy; Alexandria, H. C. Schumacher, deputy; Ontarioville, A. C. Thielon, deputy; Granite Falls, A. L. Lennon, deputy; Brainerd, J. C. Douglas, deputy.

All of these will be permanent offices and are directly under the supervision of the St. Cloud station.

NURSES HOME ON FIRE IN EVENING

Blaze at St. Joseph's Hospital Nurses Home Quickly Extinguished by the Department

USE CHEMICAL ON THE ROOF

Ludicrous Incidents of the Girls Rushing Into Home to Save Their Belongings

What promised to be a heavy fire was quickly checked Friday evening by the fire department when the motor fire truck made a fast run to the nurses home at St. Joseph's hospital and extinguished a fire on the roof.

The chemical was taken off the truck, given a turn for quick action and ladders had to be placed in two or more positions to make the roof of the two-story structure located southwest of the hospital. By that time the tank was generating terrific pressure. J. C. Claussen had the chemical and luckily had himself well balanced on the ridge before he pressed the valve of the chemical, otherwise it would have kicked him off the roof.

During the excitement nurses rushed for the home to take out their belongings. The first girl emerged triumphantly with a finger nail file, powder puff and a button hook, said one of the firemen. The second girl brought out a red apple, pin cushion and a black kewpie carnival doll. Juggling these, the girls frantically asked if the firemen would save the rest. Trunks then came tumbling out.

Two gallons of chemical solution effectively squelched the fire, the smoke settled and everybody moved in again.

CHARGED WITH HAVING LIQUOR

Four Range Men From Trommald and Crosby Taken in Custody by Special Officers

CLAIMED ONE HAD 160 GALLONS

Further Hearing to be Held Before U. S. Commissioner W. A. Fleming in Brainerd

Four Cuyuna iron range men were taken in custody by Special Officer E. G. Boyd, Leo Meyer and George Musolf and brought before U. S. Commissioner W. A. Fleming on these charges:

Matt Kaniski, living near Trommald, charged with having 160 gallons of wine in his possession.

Louis Likatz of Crosby, charged with having a gallon of whiskey in his possession.

Eli and John Obradovich of Crosby charged with having a quantity of mash fit for distillation in their possession.

All were held for further hearing.

9 HOUR DAY IS NOT RELISHED

Brainerd shopmen did not relish the extension of an eight hour day to nine hours, even if the extra hour brought time and a half overtime, and on Friday, first day of the order, no one remained at work over eight hours.

The company made the request for a longer day, asserting the Northern Pacific railway company was short on power.

COURT HOUSE FIXTURES

Designs of Lighting Fixtures Shown at the Brainerd Electric Co. Display Windows

Designs for the lighting fixtures of the new court house, revelations in the way of convenience and good taste, sketched in water colors by the architects, Alden & Harris of St. Paul, are on display in the windows of the Brainerd Electric Co.

A huge light for the district court room dome, smaller lights for offices, judge's private office, corridors, vestibules, etc., are shown.

Cooperstown.

Probably the most complete monument to an American writer in existence is Cooperstown, a picturesque village in northwestern New York on Lake Otsego, near the source of the Susquehanna. It was named after James Fenimore Cooper's father; it was the writer's home and is his burial place; the scenes of his various stories are laid around it and the greater part of its population at present is made up of his relatives or connections by marriage. In fact the whole place is flavored with the essence of Cooperism. A well-worn path to the writer's grave in the old village churchyard gives mute testimony to his popularity.

All of these will be permanent offices and are directly under the supervision of the St. Cloud station.

ADVOCATES ONIONS AS FLU REMEDY

Cod Kimball of Pequot, President of the First State Bank of Pequot, Brainerd Visiter

SHARP ADVANCE IN ONIONS

Now \$7 a Hundred—Flu Remedy Even Adopted in France, Quoted by "Stars and Stripes"

Cod Kimball, president of the First State bank of Pequot, originator and first disseminator of the efficacy of the lowly onion as a sovereign remedy for the flu, was in town today.

Unlike many reformers and propagandists, Mr. Kimball tried the onion cure on himself and his family last year and saved the entire family. He fed them boiled, roasted, baked, grilled, syrupy, mealy, and every other combination of onions until the flu capitulated. As Cod said, it was a strong remedy and it worked.

Wide Publicity

Widespread publicity was given the onion cure, much to the distress of wise professors and theorists who saw in the onion only something to load a breath. In polite circles an onion breath is an outcast.

Nevertheless the onion theory spread to the ends of the earth. Every paper took it up. One of the most refreshing incidents of Mr. Kimball's career was when an old Scandinavian neighbor drove up with a copy of the Norwegian Decorah Posten and there in Norwegian was all about the Kimball onion cure. And when Cod's boy came back from France he carried French papers and the "Stars and Stripes" with reports on the Kimball onion cure.

Onions Advance

"And now see what's happened," said Mr. Kimball.

"Onions are now quoted at \$7 a hundred, which is about 10 cents a pound."

Buttermilk

"Confidentially," said Mr. Kimball. "I have lately taken up buttermilk and have made a number of startling experiments but I hate to tell the results of my investigations, for after seeing how onions behaved in price after I recommended them for the flu, I'd hate to see buttermilk jump out of sight too and be almost beyond the reach of the average family."

Mr. Kimball is 73 years young, bright-eyed, cheery, optimistic, and for the first time in years is wearing a beard.

In the meantime Mr. Kimball is sitting tight on his buttermilk researches but eventually he will let go and has promised the Dispatch, as he did with his onion cure, the first report on his experiments in that sphere of the lactic world.

This whole story may read funny to unbelievers, but when one can look the flu square in the eye and grin at the same time and come to town after nursing another family to health, the lowly, succulent onion is not to be disregarded, not even by a highbrow burdened with half the letters of the alphabet as tacked on degrees.

MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Cash Grain Wheat—No. 1 dark northern \$2.65 to \$2.90; No. 1 northern \$2.45 to \$2.60.

Corn—No. 3 yellow \$1.40 to \$1.42. Oats—No. 3 white 79 3-4 to 80 3-4c.

Barley—Choice \$1.31 to \$1.35.

Rye—No. 2 \$1.45 5-8 to \$1.46 5-8.

Flaxseed—Fancy \$4.65 to \$4.70.

South St. Paul Livestock

Cattle—Receipts 2900; market slow; top price \$16.50; bulk of sales \$5 to \$16.50.

Hogs—Receipts 9900; market 25¢ lower; top price \$13.60; bulk of sales \$13.60.

Sheep—Receipts 2900; market steady; top price \$18; bulk of sales \$10.50 to \$18.

St. Paul Hay Market

Timothy—No. 1 \$26.50; No. 2 \$25.50; No. 3 \$20.

Clover Mixed—No. 1 \$25; No. 2 \$20.

Alfalfa—Standard \$34; No. 1 \$33.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors also employees of the N. W. Paper mill who so kindly aided us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and daughter Alice. The floral offerings were greatly appreciated by us.

Ray Fenstermacher, Albin Mohier and Family. Mr. and Mrs. E. Fenstermacher.

SUPREME COURT CASES REPORT

Attorney M. E. Ryan Wins Two Important Suits, Syllabus of Koochiching County Case

CONCERNED SALE OF BONDS

Order for New Trial Affirmed in Thorkeidson as Special Administrator vs Nicholson

Attorney M. E. Ryan won two cases in supreme court, as announced Friday.

In the case of County of Koochiching, respondent, vs George A. Elder, Commercial Investment Company, R. S. McDonald, William Durkin, Harold Royen and L. H. Slocum defendants and John Nuveen & Co. appellants, in which Mr. Ryan appeared for Koochiching county, the order was affirmed. The syllabus read:

1. Under section 5542 G. S. 1913,

a contract made by a county for sale of its bonds at less than par, is as between the original parties void. Payment of a commission to the buyer is but a discount.

2. If the bonds are sold for less

than par the county may affirm the transaction and recover the amount of the discount from the buyer.

3. When a bid for less than par has been accepted by one without ability to complete the purchase, one who with full knowledge of the facts, and with an agreement to divide the discount becomes a participant in the transaction, receives the bonds from the county, and pays the county for them, is liable to respond to the county for the amount of the discount.

4. Other alleged errors present no ground for reversal.

Order affirmed.

The opinion written by Justice Hallam states in part that "In January 1915 Koochiching county issued \$186,000 of ditch bonds. Defendant Nuveen was in the business of buying and dealing in municipal bonds in Chicago under the name of John Nuveen & Co. George A. Elder was a bond broker at Duluth. He had organized a corporation known as the Commercial Investment Company. He controlled the corporation, owned practically all its stock, and used it simply as an instrumentality for carrying on his personal business."

"There is evidence that, for a period of ten years, Elder had bought bonds in cooperation with Nuveen, on a profit-sharing basis. They had handled three previous issues for Koochiching county. Elder would buy the bonds, Nuveen would take them up. If necessary Nuveen would advance money to make deposits to accompany bids. Often the bid was made in Nuveen's name."

"The fact is that Nuveen and Elder has been engaged in a joint venture, and whatever the form of the transaction as far as the municipality was concerned, they made division of the profit arising therefrom." "Then came a break in their relations. For the purchase of the issue of bonds involved in this action they interposed competitive bids. Elder succeeded in outwitting Nuveen's representative, and he secured an acceptance of his bid for the bonds, nominally for the Commercial Investment Company, in fact for himself, and secured an agreement by which the county agreed to pay him a commission of five per cent. Nuveen then proceeded to negotiate with Elder. Elder's testimony is that he told Nuveen the whole transaction, told him of the price and the commission, and he testified that they closed this deal on practically the same basis as they had closed every other deal. Nuveen was to put up the money. Elder was to contribute one per cent, and on the last half, two per cent, of the five per cent commission, and it was calculated that by an additional profit of five per cent by selling the bonds at a premium Nuveen could secure a satisfactory return. When the time came to issue the bonds, they were forwarded by the county, through the bank at International Falls, which acted as the county's depository, to a Chicago bank. On their arrival Nuveen paid par and interest less his share of the commission agreed upon."

"As far as Elder is concerned this sale was for less than par. The commission was a mere sham and in fact a discount. The right to recover the amount thereof from Elder is clear. If Nuveen knew all the facts, and the jury, upon sufficient evidence found that he did, we think the right to recover from Nuveen is also clear. Although the original bid and its acceptance by the county was a transaction between the county and Elder alone, Nuveen later became a party to the transaction. He adopted all that Elder had done and accepted the fruits of it. It was more than mere ratification. Ratification pre-

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RUMOR HAS IT THAT HUGH JENNINGS IS READY TO QUIT AS LEADER OF TIGERS

MANAGER HUGH JENNINGS

JACK COOMBS

Manager Hugh Jennings and Jack Coombs, Who Has Been Engaged to Coach the Detroit Pitchers.

It would not be a surprise if Detroit's signing Jack Coombs as assistant manager to Hughey Jennings proves a step toward making the man from Maine manager of the Tigers in another year.

Jennings has been active as a ball player and manager for 20 years or more, and it is rumored he plans to purchase a substantial block of the stock of the Detroit club now held by the William Yawkey estate and become an official of the club, probably vice president, writes Henry P. Edmunds in Cleveland Plain Dealer. In that case, he would merely supervise the campaign of the team about as Comiskey does at Chicago.

Hughey Is Forty-Nine.

Hughey is nearly forty-nine, and has been identified with the national game for nearly 30 years. He was a member of the Louisville National league club in 1891. He remained a player and one of the game's greatest stars for more than ten years. Then, after a few seasons as manager of the Baltimore Eastern league team, he came to the American league as manager of the Detroit team. That was in 1907 and he proceeded to win three pennants.

He suffered two accidents in the off-season that would have crippled an ordinary man for life, but he has been able to train each spring with his

players and got out every day of the season and hit grounders in batting practice. He still is in splendid health but he would welcome a change that would be a promotion and relieve him of the wear and tear of traveling all season and the strain of sitting on a bench during a close game.

Strange as it may seem, Jennings never has been able to get as much out of his pitchers as the baseball world believed could be extracted.

Hired Jim McGuire.

Hughey realized that and did his best to hire someone who could. He had Jim McGuire catching the pitchers. There was no improvement. He got Billy Sullivan. He failed to get results. He tried Jimmy Burke and then Dan Howley, but was not satisfied. In Coombs he thinks he has the man.

Jack did wonders with the Brooklyn pitchers in 1916 and, while he did not have wonderful success as manager of the Phillies last season, it was largely because he was handed no material.

When he joins Jennings at Macon, Ga., in March, Coombs will find a pretty fair pitching staff, but one that can be improved. Boland, Daus, Leonard, Ehmke, Love, Cunningham and Ayers are good pitchers, but under the coaching of Coombs they should be even better.

The situation has cost the United States an immense sum of money during the last seven or eight years. During this entire period, with the exception of about a year when the United States was in the thick of the fighting in France, the government maintained a large military force on the Mexican border. The major part of the American army is down there today. It costs a great deal more to maintain an army in the field than in barracks.

MEXICO PROBLEM LEFT UNSETTLED

TROUBLESOME QUESTION WILL BE PASSED ON TO THE NEXT ADMINISTRATION.

WAS INHERITED BY WILSON

Why He Always Has Avoided Armed Intervention—Special Senate Committee Soon Will Report on the Misdeeds of Our Southern Neighbor.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—The so-called Mexican problem is to be passed on to the next administration. Three months ago it looked as if armed intervention by the United States in Mexico was inevitable, but things have been smoothed over again, and unless there shall be developments between now and March 4, 1921, which shall make intervention absolutely necessary the present relationship between the United States and her neighbor on the south will continue. The Mexican situation has been before President Wilson since the day he entered the White House. His predecessor, William H. Taft, passed it on to him, not because he did not wish to shoulder the responsibility for dealing with it but because he and his cabinet did not see a solution of the problem.

During the first term of President Wilson this government conducted one investigation after another in Mexico. It came very near to war with the military occupation of the country when it landed troops at Vera Cruz, and later it approached armed intervention when it sent General Pershing at the head of an army over the border in search of General Villa and his band of marauders; but actual intervention was always stayed off. It has always been understood here by persons who keep in touch with the administration that President Wilson held off intervention because he believed that if the step should ever be taken it would be most difficult for the United States to withdraw from Mexico; and he has always been opposed to any movement looking to the absorption of Mexico, with her rich natural resources, by the United States.

Senate Committee to Report Soon.
Just now a special committee, representing the foreign relations committee of the senate, is contemplating an exhaustive investigation of the entire Mexican situation and within a few weeks will report to the senate. This committee, of which Senator Fall of New Mexico is chairman, has received the co-operation of the state department and undoubtedly will be able to give the senate a good deal of important information. There is no question but that the committee will reveal a long list of Americans murdered by Mexicans during the last ten years, and it will be able to show that the United States, during the last seven years and even for a longer period, has had grievances against Mexico which would warrant this country in intervening with arms. It is not believed, however, that the committee will recommend armed intervention. Some of the members of the committee, if not all of them, believe that there is another and a better way to adjust the differences between the two countries, though they are not clear at this time as to what that way is. The committee will tell the senate that President Carranza of Mexico has throughout his term of office shown an unfriendliness toward the United States.

President Wilson has believed that with the League of Nations in operation it would be possible under the provisions of the covenant for the league to deal with Mexico. At the recent pan-American financial conference here, attended by many of the ablest men from Central and South America, there was any amount of informal talk about what is to be done with Mexico, and the drift of this conversation was to the effect that, probably, the League of Nations, when it gets under way, will be able to put such pressure on Mexico as will force her to behave herself.

Whole Continent Against Mexico.
It is a notable fact that the Central and South American governments feel toward Mexico very much as does the United States; they take the position that she has been playing the part of outlaw long enough, and that the time is not far distant when the governments of the western hemisphere, if not the governments of the world, will have to take her in hand.

The recent resignation of our ambassador, Mr. Fletcher, emphasizes once more the trying position of any American who attempts to represent this government at Mexico City. Ambassador Fletcher has made no criticism of the course the United States has taken, but has simply said that he could not be of any service to his country in Mexico City so long as Mexico continued to "act up."

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LUCY PAGE GASTON



FAR EAST ATHLETES TO ENTER OLYMPICS

Big Sporting Boom Now On in Various Oriental Countries.

Interest in American Games in China Has Caused Demand for Native Amateur Athletic Association—Skating Popular.

Athletes from China, Japan, the Philippines and other far Eastern countries may be contenders for honors at the seventh Olympiad, to be held at Antwerp next August, and for a certainty will be formidable contenders at succeeding Olympiads, so keen has become the interest fostered by the Y. M. C. A. in these countries. In China, particularly, the interest in American athletics has caused a demand to come from all parts of this great new republic for a native national amateur athletic association.

R. A. Leake, physical director for the "Y" at Foochow, China, reports that "the need for this has grown during the last few years, owing to international athletics and China's participation in the far Eastern Olympics, held at Manila. On the occasion of the assembling of the Chinese team of more than one hundred picked men at Manila, it was decided to make a start toward organizing a federation."

A committee was appointed to draft and present such a constitution and by-laws. This has been done, and it has been distributed for correction and criticism. The completion of the organization certainly will be effected during the coming year."

A great rivalry in American athletics has sprung up between China and Japan since the Chinese athletes outpointed the Japanese in the far Eastern Olympics last summer, while the meet was won by the Philippine Islanders.

Skating and skiing have become popular in Japan, and, although that country is called the Land of the Cherry Blossoms, parts of it have heavy falls of snow and several weeks of splendid ice each winter. China has taken the hint from Japan, and an Oriental Johnnie Nilsson may appear on a sport program in the not distant future. The American swing and the American "pep" are rapidly being acquired by the far Eastern athletes, who are getting down to a real training basis.

Baseball, football, and basketball, in addition to track and field sports, are rapidly growing in popularity in many parts of China. John Bradshaw, physical director of the "Y" at Amoy, China, writes: "The basketball league has proved a splendid success. Large crowds have attended the games and a great deal of interest has been shown, so that even the middle schools have taken up this sport."

President Ebbets of the Brooklyn club says Outfielder Tom Griffith never has told him he intends to retire from baseball, but the club head thinks that may be Tom's intention and will set out to fill his place unless he hears to the contrary. The Brooklyn club also is seeking a catcher, maybe two catchers, and there is a story that it may get Frank Snyder from the New York Giants.

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